

SEP 17 2008



3040 Post Oak Blvd, Suite 1500
Houston, TX 77056-6582
TEL 713.623.4844
FAX 713.623.4846

FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

DATE: September 17, 2008
FILE NO: APPM/008284/W-C/CPG/MDD
TO: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
FAX NO: (571) 273-8300
FROM: Keith M. Tackett
PAGE(S) with cover: 3
ORIGINAL TO FOLLOW? ☐ YES ☒ NO

WAIVER OF HEARING ATTENDANCE

APPEAL NO.: 2008-3761
TITLE: DILUTE SULFURIC PEROXIDE AT THE POINT-OF-USE
U.S. SERIAL NO.: 10/676,182
FILING DATE: September 30, 2003
INVENTOR: Steven Verhaverbeke
EXAMINER: Saeed T. Chaudhry
GROUP ART UNIT: 1792
CONFIRMATION NO.: 6792

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTE

The document accompanying this facsimile transmission contains information from the law firm of Patterson & Sheridan, L.L.P. which is confidential or privileged. The information is intended to be for the use of the individual or entity named on this transmission sheet. If you are not the intended recipient, be aware that any disclosure, copying, distribution or use of the contents of this faxed information is prohibited. If you have received this facsimile in error, please notify us by telephone immediately so that we can arrange for the retrieval of the original documents at no cost to you.

838855_1.DOC

SEP 17 2008

PATENT
Atty. Docket No.: APPM/008284/W-C/CPG/MDD

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of: Verhaverbeke

Serial No.: 10/676,182

Confirmation No.: 6792

Filed: September 30, 2003

For: Dilute Sulfuric Peroxide at the
Point-of-Use

§
§
§
§
§
§
§
§
§
§

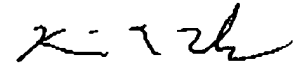
Appeal No.: 2008-3761

Group Art Unit: 1792

Examiner: Saeed T. Chaudhry

United States Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

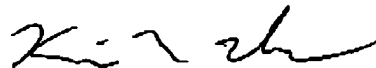
Dear Sir or Madam:

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office via facsimile to (571) 273-8300, on the date shown below.	
9/17/08	
Date	Keith M. Tackett

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF HEARING DATED AUGUST 21, 2008

Applicant submits this Response to Notice of Hearing Dated August 21, 2008, waiving attendance of the October 22, 2008 Hearing. This Response is being submitted after the September 11 deadline due to a disruption of services caused by Hurricane Ike. Your consideration in this matter is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,



Keith M. Tackett
Registration No. 32,008
PATTERSON & SHERIDAN, L.L.P.
3040 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 1500
Houston, TX 77056
Telephone: (713) 623-4844
Facsimile: (713) 623-4846
Agent for the Applicant

SEP 17 2008

Page 1



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

PATTERSON & SHERIDAN, LLP --
APPM/TX
3040 POST OAK BOULEVARD,
SUITE 1500
HOUSTON, TX 77056

Appeal No: 2008-3761
Appellant: Steven Verhaverbeke
Application No: 10/676,182
Hearing Room: A
Hearing Docket: A
Hearing Date: Wednesday, October 22, 2008
Hearing Time: 01:00 PM
Location: Madison Building - East Wing
600 Dulany Street, 9th Floor
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

NOTICE OF HEARING
CONFIRMATION REQUIRED WITHIN TWENTY-ONE DAYS

Your attention is directed to 37 CFR § 41.47. The above identified appeal will be heard by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on the date indicated. Hearings will commence at the time set and as soon as the argument in one appeal is concluded, the succeeding appeal will be taken up. The time allowed for argument is twenty minutes unless additional time is requested and permitted before the argument is commenced. If there are any inquiries, please contact the Clerk of the Board at 571-272-9797.

The application involved in this appeal has been published. Accordingly, the hearing in this appeal is open to the public.

CONFIRMATION OR WAIVER OF THE HEARING IS REQUIRED. This form must be completed below and facsimile transmitted to both: (1) the USPTO Central fax number (official copy), and (2) the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences fax number (courtesy copy) within TWENTY-ONE (21) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice indicating confirmation or waiver of the hearing. A copy of this notice may be alternately filed by mail if facsimile is not available.

BPAI HEARINGS FAX No: (571) 273-0299


USPTO Central Fax No: (571) 273-8300

BPAI Mailing Address:

Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences
United States Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. BOX 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

In all communications relating to this appeal, please identify the appeal by its number.

CHECK ONE: () HEARING ATTENDANCE CONFIRMED (✓) HEARING ATTENDANCE WAIVED


Signature of Attorney/Agent/Appellant

9/17/08
Date

32,008
Registration No.

Names of other visitors expected to accompany counsel:

For information on visitor access to hearing rooms and security procedures at the USPTO Alexandria Campus, see
<http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/dcom/scounsel/contact.htm#bpa> contacts